

SLIGHT CHANCE FOR GIRL TO LIVE

Miss Mae Newberry Struck By
Lightning.—She and Friend
Were Planting Grass in
Front Yard.

While planting grass in the front yard at the home of A. M. Stephens, North Alice street, Miss Mae Newberry, of near Dothan, who was visiting her cousin, Miss Georgia Stephens, was struck by lightning and probably fatally injured at 4:00 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Miss Stephens, who stood nearby, received slight burns about the arm.

A hole in the ground about four inches deep and some five feet long, where the unfortunate girl stood, gave mute testimony as to how great the shock must have been.

The clothing Miss Newberry wore was burned almost completely off her body. Her hair was burned crisp and it is said that the ribs in her corset were broken, so powerful was the shock she received.

The lightning struck a coal house in the back yard, set fire to it, and also struck a tree. Then it seems to have taken hold on a wire fence which came to a point near where the two girls were standing.

Has Slight Chance.

The attending physician has only scant hope for the recovery of Miss Newberry. The young lady is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Newberry, who live about two miles from town. Mr. Newberry operates a truck farm.

Lineman Shocked.

Lineman Vanlandingham, in the employ of the Standard Telephone and Telegraph company, was on a pole some 40 feet high yesterday afternoon when he received an electrical shock. He says he was in a good position and managed to maintain his hold until he fully recovered from the shock. Then he came down the pole.

At noon today Miss Newberry had not regained consciousness nor partaken of nourishment since the accident yesterday afternoon.

G. A. Scott, Dothan route 3, was in town today on business.

Dan Cherry of route 4, was in town this morning.

Beech Cooley of route 2, was in town this morning.

S. Z. Collins, prominent citizen of Keston, was here today.

On
SEPT 15TH
he will
don the
GOTHIC
the new
ARROW
COLLAR

MANY AMERICANS ARE MASSACRED BY THE TURKS

Tyria, Italy, Sept. 13.—More than four hundred thousand Armenians who were ordered deported into the interior of Asia Minor disappeared on the way and were probably massacred by Turkish soldiers and Kurds, according to information received here yesterday from Aivli.

Anarchy reigns in a great part of Turkey and the army is becoming demoralized, it is reported. Deserters are pillaging the cities. Eight hundred thousand Armenians from Trebizond, Erzerum, Ceras and other cities were deported into the interior.

Course in Arabic Case Not Decided

Washington, Sept. 13.—Secretary Lansing announced today after a conference with President Wilson that no decision had yet been reached by the United States on Germany's proposal to arbitrate the Arabic case.

It was indicated in official quarters that both Germany and the United States agree that to arbitrate the question of indemnity involves arbitrating the justification and the facts.

VIGOROUS ATTACK MADE ON WATSON

Atlanta, Ga., Sept. 13.—The very vigorous attack on the motives and statements of Thomas E. Watson, published in Sunday's issue of the Augusta Chronicle by Editor Thomas W. Loyless, of that paper, aroused keen interest in Atlanta and resulted in the newsmen selling out their entire supplies of the Chronicle.

Editor Loyless, whose attack on Watson filled three full pages in the Chronicle, charges that Watson's long campaign against Leo M. Frank and his subsequent bitter and vicious attacks on the honesty of ex-Governor John M. Slaton were prompted by Watson's desire for money, vengeance and political power.

Mr. Loyless published many of Watson's reckless statements and followed them with the records and facts to show that Watson had been guilty of deliberate misrepresentations. He cited the famous Glover murder case in Augusta to show that Watson is now condemning Governor Slaton for the very thing he unsuccessfully sought to have Governor Hoke Smith do in the Glover case, and declares that when Smith refused to commute the sentence of Glover who had shot down a poor factory girl in cold blood, Watson broke with Governor Smith and has never since overlooked an opportunity to abuse him.

Mr. Loyless charged that Watson, having worn threadbare his attacks on Catholicism and foreign missions, took up the Frank case in an effort to hold his readers and gain new ones.

GOING BACK TO FIGHT FOR NATIVE COUNTRY



ITALIAN RESERVISTS ON SANTA ANNA.

Scene on the after-deck of the Italian liner, Santa Anna, leaving New York with more than 300 Italian reservists bound for the mother country to engage in the war. As the ship moved off from her pier, the reservists crowded the decks, singing patriotic songs and waving Italian flags.

PRESIDENT WANTS ARCHIBALD JAILED

Washington, Sept. 13.—President Wilson has issued orders to the department of justice to prosecute James F. J. Archibald, the American correspondent, who carried the now famous Dr. Dumba letters, to the full extent of the law. This became known here today on the highest authority. The President, it is learned, has become aroused over the Archibald situation and is determined to make an example of him. He desires that Archibald be sent to prison if the law provides such a penalty, it is understood.

He believes that in this way, using of American citizens and American passports by foreign governments in carrying out their military schemes will be effectually stopped.

GARDEN HOSE CAUSES CHASE

Mrs. A. F. Carrelle today succeeded in bringing about the capture and arrest of two young men whom she charges with stealing some garden hose. The boys were locked up at police headquarters.

The youngsters broke and run but were pursued by Mrs. Carrelle. Chief of Police C. J. Rollins appeared at the right time and the fugitives ran right into his hands. The boys are charged with stealing the hose from the residence of Mrs. Carrelle on South St. Andrews street where the chase began.

T. A. Scott of Taylor, was in Dothan a while today.

J. A. V. Lambert was in the city today transacting business.

Scarcity of Coal Has Nearly Reached State of Famine

Washington, Sept. 13.—Scarcity of coal in Spain has reached the stage where it is almost a fuel famine. American Ambassador Willard today cabled the foreign commerce bureau that the fuel shortage threatens to hamper practically every industry seriously.

Ambassador Willard pointed out that an unlimited opportunity is offered American coal producers. The Spanish government has offered special inducements to coal exporters by removing all customs, duties and transportation tax.

Spain's annual consumption of coal approximates six million tons.

Wisconsin Storm Does Much Damage

Janesville, Wis., Sept. 13.—The terrible storm which swept all of southern Wisconsin late last night did much damage to property, causing numerous washouts on railroads and cutting off wire communication with many places, but as far as known no lives were lost.

The city of Edgerton, with 8,000 population, has been cut off from the outside world since 10 o'clock last night, but word was received today that no lives had been lost there, although hundreds of families were driven from their homes.

HORSES RUNAWAY.

The two horses hitched to the Chero-Cola wagon featured in a runaway this morning, but the damage sustained was slight. A few cases of Chero-Cola were thrown out and broken.

J. C. Fowler, Ashford route 1 farmer, was here today.

COTTON PRICES UP \$1.50 A BALE

New York, Sept. 13.—Still higher prices were reached in the cotton market here today with December delivery selling up to 10.75 or more than \$1.50 a bale above the closing quotations of Saturday. There was some scattered selling on reports of favorable weather in the south, and uneasiness over international politics, but all offerings were readily absorbed by a broadening demand which was doubtless encouraged by bullish private crop advices and reports that spot dealers were paying advances in the interior to secure cotton for early shipment.

New Orleans Goes Highest for Season.

New Orleans, La., Sept. 13.—Bullish crop talk sent the price of cotton to new high levels for the season today. The close was at the highest, a net rise of 31 to 37 points, one of the strongest rises of the season. Middling cotton was quoted at ten cents a pound for the first time since the "buy-a-bale" movement of last season was spread over the country.

The ring was not particularly active and no great excitement was shown, except around the close. Offerings were not liberal at any time, and in the afternoon were scanty and a moderate demand served to keep the market at the advance all day. In the early trading prices were 7 to 11 points up and at noon they were 17 to 20 up. At the best the strongest months were nearly \$2 a bale over last week's final quotations.

The market closed strong at practically the best price of the day and season. The general list showed net advances of from 35 to 40 points, or between \$1.75 to \$2 a bale.

PROSPERITY IN SIGHT WITH COTTON UP

Business life in Dothan has taken on a healthier tone since the advance in the price of cotton, and a spirit of optimism which has been sadly lacking since the beginning of the European war seems to be prevalent.

Farmers who come to this city to sell the products of their farms and purchase supplies, appear to feel better over the outlook this fall and everywhere people are talking of the good times ahead.

With cotton bringing ten cents and better, there is a real foundation for this prosperity wave, which seems headed in this direction.

Bubonic Plague Discovered at N. O.

Washington, Sept. 13.—Confirmation of reports that a case of true bubonic plague has been discovered at New Orleans was received today by the United States public health service. Orders were sent at once to the service experts to take every precaution to prevent its spread.

Health service officials here do not fear any epidemic will result at New Orleans, as well trained men of the service are on the ground to check the malady.

2 DIE IN COLUMBUS IN DUEL ON STREET

Columbus, Ga., Sept. 12.—M. T. Mettee, a young man from Forsyth, was killed and Patrolman N. H. Gibson received wounds which resulted fatally a few hours later in a street gun fight here early this morning. Mettee is alleged to have drawn a pistol on a negro porter in a store in the segregated district then to have robbed the cash register of \$12, running into the street with the cash. The porter chased him with a shotgun, and fired several shots.

Patrolman Gibson joined in the pursuit in an automobile and Mettee was cornered in a dark alley, where the pistol battle between Mettee and Gibson was staged.

Both men emptied their revolvers, and when the firing ceased persons who ran to the scene found Mettee dead and the officer in a helpless condition.

DOTHAN CHAPTER

NO. 113, R. A. M.

There will be a special communication of Dothan Chapter, No. 113 R. A. M. Thursday evening at 7 o'clock sharp. Work in the two last degrees. All companions are especially requested to be present and assist in this work.

Refreshments will be served immediately after conferring the first degree.

By order of the High Priest.
S. Lisenby, Secretary.

DECORATOR NOW WINDING UP HIS WORK

Painting and Decorating City Hall Will Be Completed This Week, Says H. C. Anderson.

The task of painting and decorating the interior of the city hall building will be completed this week, according to an announcement made today by H. C. Anderson, of Macon, Ga., the decorator in charge.

The walls of the different offices in the building look like they have been papered, but it is only paint put on by master hands. Modern patterns were used, and the designs are certainly attractive.

The color scheme used on the inner walls of the theatre is a blended coloring with a light mulberry effect, which has already attracted a great deal of favorable comment. Pictures of flying angels with trumpets, etc. are painted on the panel. All told the job is an artistic one, and shows well for the ability of Mr. Anderson and his assistants.

Show Shows Well.

The theatrical season is almost upon us, so to speak, and the people are anxious to know what and when the opening will be. "When Dreams Come True," is now making the South with bookings recently at Selma, Anniston, Montgomery, and probably other Alabama towns. This attraction may be seen at the Auditorium some time this season.

It has been suggested that if Manager Fred Thomas could secure bookings for about two good attractions during Fair week, October 25 to 30, that he would "make a killing," as a large number of visitors from nearby towns will be here then. This might conflict with the program at the fair grounds some night, but probably not to any appreciable extent.

John T. Forehand, Ashford route 2 citizen, was in Dothan today.

J. W. Bradshaw of route 4, from Dothan, was trading here today.

R. M. Baxley, well known farmer of route 6, was here today on business.

W. C. Outlaw of route 6, was trading here today.

A. A. Hawkins good citizen of Taylor, was here today on business.

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First National Bank

at Dothan, in the State of Alabama, at the close of business, September 2, 1915.

Resources	Dollars	Dollars
Loans and discounts (except those shown on b)	\$621,664.10	\$621,664.10
Overdrafts, unsecured		1,334.34
U. S. Bonds deposited to secure circulation (par value)	\$250,000.00	
U. S. bonds pledged to secure U. S. deposits (par value)	1,000.00	251,000.00
Subscription to stock of Federal Reserve Bank	\$18,000.00	
Less amount unpaid	9,000.00	9,000.00
Value of banking house (if unencumbered)	57,114.30	57,114.30
Furniture and fixtures		3,896.13
Real estate owned other than banking house		16,885.18
Net amount due from Federal Reserve Bank		15,436.99
Net amount due from approved reserve agents in New York, Chicago and St. Louis	\$17,151.49	
Net amount due from approved reserve agents in other reserve cities	\$ 136.72	17,288.21
Net amount due from banks and bankers (other than included in 9 or 10)		16,261.97
Other checks on banks in the same city or town as reporting bank		9.54
Outside checks and other cash items	\$909.00	
Fractional currency, nickels, and cents	\$ 35.99	944.88
Notes of other national banks		3,550.00
Federal Reserve notes		3,000.00
Lawful money reserve in bank:		
Total coin and certificates		6,103.20
Legal-tender notes		4,000.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (not more than 5 per cent on circulation)	\$6,300.00	6,300.00
Customers' liability account of "Acceptances"		85,962.85
TOTAL		\$1,119,751.79

Liabilities	Dollars	Dollars
Capital stock paid in	\$250,000.00	
Surplus fund	\$ 50,000.00	\$300,000.00
Undivided profits, \$19,940.44	\$ 19,940.44	
Less: current expenses, interest, & taxes paid	4,731.20	15,209.24
Circulating notes	\$250,000.00	250,000.00
Due to banks and bankers (other than included in 5 or 6)	\$ 67,652.87	
Dividends unpaid	\$ 150.00	
Demand deposits:		
Individual deposits subject to check	\$255,473.90	
Certificates of deposit due in less than 30 days	\$ 44,758.20	
Cashier's checks outstanding	\$ 305.98	
United States deposits	\$ 1,000.00	369,240.45
Rediscunts with Federal Reserve Bank		70,302.10
Bills payable, including obligations representing money borrowed		115,000.00
TOTAL		\$1,119,751.79

State of Alabama, county of Houston, ss:
I, G. H. Malone, President, of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
G. H. MALONE, President.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of September, 1915. J. L. VAUGHN, Notary Public.
Correct—Attest: W. E. Newton, Robt. Boyd, D. C. Carmichael, Directors.

GASTRONOMIC MISTAKE.

"This condiment is so hot I can't eat it."

"Why, my wife said it was chilly sauce."

ITS KIND.

"When they rowed out to fish Dick would talk so, Bill gave him a good slap in the boat."

"Ah! 'twas a fishing smack, then."

SOUNDED THAT WAY.

Patience—I like to see a man act and not talk.

Patrice—Oh, you mean to say you like the pantomime actors best.

Dan Quattlebaum, prosperous farmer of route 1, was here to day.

VERY UNCERTAIN.

"Well, how much longer do you expect to stand there holding that telephone receiver to your ear?" asked the impatient person.

"I'm sure I don't know," replied the subdued-looking man, as he carefully placed his hand over the transmitter, so his words could not be heard at the other end of the line.

"I don't detect the slightest note of weariness in my wife's voice so far."

SAFETY FIRST.

"I must say Dubeon is a prudent lover, anyhow."

"What makes you think so?"

"I noticed him last Sunday shooting the chute with his fiancée, Miss Plumphy."

"Well?"

"He invariably put her in front."

THE CURRENT TOPIC.

"It's a beautiful day."

"Yes," replied O. U. Grouthead, the noted pessimist, "but unreasonable for this time of the year."

Philadelphia Public Ledger.

THE PROOF.

"That girl is certainly dumb."

"Is she?"

"Why, didn't you ever hear her talk?"

AN ILLUSTRATION.

He—X represents an unknown quantity.

She—It surely does in my pig money allowance.

QUITE NATURAL.

"These spelling bees are getting to be very lively, aren't they?"

"They certainly do make shoo."

GO FORWARD OR GO BACK

Absolutely No Place in the World for Man or Firm Who Would Remain at Standstill.

Success is a disease, if the reasoning of those who give the identical definition for poverty is to be followed. An excellent preventive is idleness or inertia; another is satisfaction. Find the man who is satisfied and you need look no further for human pity.

Content breeds Indians and Chinks. The content breeds Mayflowers across oceans—not the sullen discontent that does nothing, but the discontent that manifests itself in striving to better conditions, the discontent that means hard work and plenty of it.

Some firms are so contented with the volume of business they have that they do nothing to increase it. But the discontented competitor is doing something, as the first firm generally finds out before going into bankruptcy. You go ahead or you go back in this world. You cannot stand still. Satisfaction too often means just that—doing nothing.

NEW WAY OF PUTTING IT



Gladys—Oh, Fred! Before we go will you get me some apple blossoms?

Fred—Certainly, if you wish, my dear. But, honestly now, wouldn't you rather wait and let me get you some orange blossoms?

THE FRENCH SPIRIT.

Amelie's stepdaughter is married to a big husky chap by the name of Georges Godot. He is a thick-necked, red-faced man, in the dynamite corps on the railroad—the construction department. He is used to hardships. War is as good as anything else to him. When he came to say good-by he said: "Well, if I have the luck to come back, so much the better. If I don't, that will be all right. You can put a plaque down below in the cemetery with 'Godot, Georges. Died for the country.' And when my boys grow up they can say to their comrades, 'Papa, you know, he died on the battlefield.' It will be a sort of distinction I am not likely to earn for them any other way." And off he went. Rather fine for a man of that class.—Mildred Aldrich, in Atlantic.

INSIDIOUS EFFECT.

"The worst thing about alcohol," said Uncle Bill Bottletop, "is the way it ruins the memory."

"Has it impaired yours?"

"Something terrible. I know perfectly that I oughtn't to take a drink, but I can't remember not to."

IN THE STATION.

"I want to take a train to New York."

"But, my dear sir, we pay our engineers to do that."

NO WONDER.

Manager—The play went like a breeze.

Backer—It ought to, after all the drafts you got from me for it.

AN IMPOSSIBILITY.

"I saw Jones' double on the street yesterday."

"You couldn't have seen anything of the kind. Jones is a single man."

THAT'S DIFFERENT.

"She is a girl of unusual beauty."

"Introduce me."

"Of unusual beauty of disposition."

READ THE DOTHAN EAGLE

LETTER TO THE EDITOR.

Dothan Ala. Sept. 12, 1915
To the Editor Eagle:

Will you kindly allow me a little space in your paper even if I may take slight issue with the editor?

Please refer to the third column on editorial page, issue of September 11th, the words, "A little education is a useless thing."

After reading the above quoted, I have been bothered in mind about it.

Knowing the great influence newspapers have on the public and especially one able and interestingly edited, as The Eagle is, I have fears as to what influence these seven words may have on your readers and the public generally, and especially those that may intend to attend adult night schools, as has been discussed considerably of late.

As you understand those adult night school people are very frequently illiterate to begin with, and can hardly expect ultimately but little education.

I know an old deliveryman in Dothan, who would not know the letter A from a dollar bill. He sorts out and separates his packages and spots them so he can tell to whom they belong, but if in doubt, he has to get someone to read the address for him, so he will not make error in delivery.

Do you not think it would be useful to him and others if he had even just a little education, enough to read and write just a little?

It seems to me it is useful, to even know how to write your name, or read even just a little, or in other words, just a little, my whatever is useful, and a good education is very much more useful.

Yours truly,

W. S. HARRIS.

Our esteemed correspondent must learn not to take a paragraph too seriously. More than 250 years ago Alexander Pope wrote:

"A little learning is a dangerous thing,

Drink deep or taste not the Pierian Spring.

Their shallow draughts intoxicate the brain,

And drinking largely sobers us again."

Since that time there have been many paraphrasings of the first sentence in this poem, such as "A little widow is a dangerous thing," "A little tiger is a dangerous thing," etc., the paraphrasings perpetrating the paraphrases never stopping to consider that anybody would take them seriously. We, of course, didn't go so far as the famous English poet of the seventeenth century, for he says, "A little learning (education) is a DANGEROUS thing," we said "A little education is a useless thing," and, according to Pope worse than no education at all.

Mr. Beauchamp Burdshaw left yesterday for New Orleans, where he will finish his work in the Tulane University of Louisiana.

\$100 Reward, \$100

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one devoted Alumnus of the Dothan Eagle who is able to cure in all its forms the system thereby destroying the foundation of the disease and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and restoring nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer the Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Write for list of testimonials. Address: F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by all Druggists. The Dothan Eagle family plan for compensation.

the, north pole, he has evidently sought out new worlds to conquer. No settling down to a state of innocuous desuetude for the dauntless doctor; indeed no. Instead, he selects a good high mountain—Mount Everest, to be exact—and sets himself the task of scaling its icy peak. He has ascended the mountain to a height of 27,000 feet—so he says in a letter to a friend. Now, only 2,000 feet from the top, he anticipates new honors and glories upon the completion of the ascent.

Many people will admire the explorer's unconquerable spirit—and admire his determination to succeed at something—but after all, is the result worth the effort? Could not the same amount of energy be put to more profitable use?

Assuming that Dr. Cook eventually stands on the top-most crest of the peak—what then? What will he have attained to repay him for the struggle and what will he view to gladden his eyes? Merely what the bear of ancient doggerel saw, "the other side of the mountain."

Sometimes men go a long way seeking new worlds to conquer, when there are worlds of opportunity right at their doors. Perhaps, however, it takes an occasional explorer to enlarge the general vision and afford impetus to ambition.

In his message to the legislature about the bonded warehouse the Governor assumes the role of a school-master and proceeds to give a lecture after the manner of a professor to a class of careless and idle boys. The Governor says:

"The bills that have been introduced may not meet your views and according to your ideas may not be equal to the emergency but it is your duty to consider them and whatever they lack in constructive ideas you should supply and not ignore the question altogether. Have you made any efforts to improve upon them or is it that you do not feel any concern in the distant future?"

"The great body of the people who are dependent upon tilling the soil for a livelihood have been looking to you to present and enact laws to meet future emergencies and shall it be said that the Alabama lawmakers have not sufficient interest or initiative in the matter to give it serious consideration?"

The Eagle has thought that if the Governor could bring himself to concede that there are many men in the legislature who are his peers in intellect, in patriotism and statesmanship, and had equal interest in the welfare of the people, his attitude to that co-ordinate branch of government would be more urbane and respectful with more beneficial results.

The Eagle thinks that if the legislature had had the sympathetic co-operation of the Governor, minus his supercilious criticisms, the work of that body would have been done long since. From a distant loftiness he has looked down upon these men and, in the form of an interrogation, charged them with the lack of "interest or initiative" in the welfare of the people. Has not the Governor heard from many sources that he himself has been very remiss in the initiative, a peculiar prerogative of the Governor? The Eagle regrets the unfriendly, censorious attitude of His Excellency, and hopes the spell of a small minority faction may yet be broken—for His Excellency's sake.

ON BEING CAREFUL

Nigh hundred telephones were out yesterday after the rain. That meant danger for five thousand people who might be sick or need a doctor quick, or might have a fire and could not get the department. It all so meant about \$50 to be spent by the telephone company in hunting for the trouble and repairing the trouble, says the Emporia (Kansas) Gazette.

And when they found the trouble, what do you suppose it was? A boy back of the Whiteley, shooting at a sparrow on a telephone wire, missed the sparrow and hit a cable. His 22 bullet was found inside the lead casing of the cable. In the hole the rain poured and short circuited eight hundred phones.

The boy didn't go to do it, yet by that shot he might have killed someone, or burned down a house. He certainly put five thousand phone users who are dependent on 800 phones to a lot of trouble, and the company to a lot of expense. In this world as it is now arranged, no man can take a shot in the dark. We are all crowded together in civilization, and the innocent shot may be fatal.

In the meantime, what is the earthly use of a gun? Why should anyone have a gun? He spends twice the amount in ammunition that he gets in food, and a gun is a menace to the safety of scores of persons. The sale of guns should be strictly regulated by city ordinance and no one should own a gun in a town, who will not consent to use it under certain definite restrictions. And one of these restrictions is that no boy should use a gun on the town site for any purpose.

Frank N. Julian, editor of the Sheffield Standard, says he is a dry local optionist. Probably the only one in captivity.—Dothan Eagle. Is the type as rare as the Dodo or a dry prohibitionist?—Montgomery Advertiser. No, but quite as rare as the wet local optionist who doesn't think everybody else is equally as wet.

SELF RELIANT HOME DOCTORS

is what women are called who all over this broad land make their annual collections of roots and herbs, and rely upon recipes which our pioneer mothers found dependable for different family ailments. In one of these recipes, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound had its origin and so successful has it proved that there is hardly a city, town or hamlet in America where some woman who has been restored to health by its use does not reside.

W. H. Brinks and wife of route 6, was in town this morning.

Prof. Alvin Davis of Dothan, route 2, was a business caller to day.

U. C. Deal of route 6, was in town today trading.

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Big sayers are usually little doers.

Some men curs and others are just cursed.

Half a loaf is better than two whole loafers.

A whirlwind finish is just about as aimless.

Now is the time for all good men to desire a cool snap.

Time is money and lots of folks take it to pay the grocer.

There's more room for a change of temperature in this weather than any other department we know of.

Hope the legislature before it quits will pass a law squelching the Ancient and Accepted Order of Lemon Handers.

Speaking of cutting scrapes, when a man undertakes to shave with a dull razor he gets both a cutting and a scrape.

Hot air is going to prove a mighty poor money crop as a substitute for the fifty per cent shortage in cotton this year.

The Dothan Eagle remarks that if Alabama adopts the electric chair in place of the hangman's noose, it will be a terrible shock for the condemned prisoner.—Piedmont Journal.

Dothan papers are boasting about a new ship line connection just arranged for Dothan. That's fine. If Dothan keeps on improving she will soon believe that she is as good as Troy. There are so many Troy people down there, however, that the program is easily accounted for.—Troy Messenger.

You mean the progress here easily accounts for the Troy people being here.

POOR OLD DOC COOK

Some men are never beaten, for the simple reason that they do not know when they are defeated. They "come back" with a cheerful persistency worthy of the highest cause, says the Birmingham Age-Herald.

That poor old Doc Cook, for instance, he laid the spotlight on the question for sometime.

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Society

Mrs. Eric Cellerstedt, Editor Phone 644

God thought to give the sweetest thing

In His almighty power
To earth and deeply pondering
What it should be—one hour
In fondest joy and love of heart
Outweighing every other.
He moved the gates of Heaven
apart
And gave to earth a mother!
—G. Newell Lovejoy.

The Lord could not be every-
where, so He made mothers.—
Jewish Rabbi.

O! in our stern manhood, when
no ray
Of earlier sunshine glimmers on
our way,
When girl with sins and sorrow,
and the toil

Of eyes that tear the bosom
that they soil;

O! if there be in retrospec-
tion's chain,

One link that knits us with
young dreams again,

One thought so sweet we scarcely
dare to muse

On all the hoarded raptures of
reviews,

Which seems an instant in its
backward range

The heart to soften, and its ties
to change;

And every spring, untouched for
years, to move,

It is—the memory of a mother's
love.

—Bulwer.

Mrs. Grady Honored at Large Rook Party—

The palatial home of Mrs. E. N. Passmore on North Leona street was the scene of a pretty Rook party this afternoon, when she entertained in honor of her sister, Mrs. Joseph Grady of Brinson, Ga.

Large ferns and quantities of bright colored zenias graced the living room and porch where the tables were arranged for the interesting games that whiled away the hours.

In the dining room refreshments which was served by Mrs. M. A. Williams, from a bowl imbedded in yellow daisies.

At the close of the afternoon delightful teas were served by Miss Daisy Simonton and Miss Jennie Mae Ward.

The guests at this happy affair were Mrs. Grady, Mrs. C. O. Gohon, Mrs. Ernest Bussey, Mrs. Felix Walker, Mrs. R. C. Williams, Mrs. G. M. Lewis, Mrs. Ed. Harmon, Mrs. J. D. Foy, Mrs. Sam Bennett, Mrs. D. C. Carmichael, Mrs. W. R. Watford, Mrs. R. H. Parker, Mrs. R. Chason, Mrs. Edward Cannady, Mrs. S. A. Jeter, Mrs. H. H. McNeill, Mrs. J. T. Brock, Mrs. M. A. Williams, Mrs. Chapman, Mrs. E. F. Moody, Mrs. W. C. Fritter, Mrs. Barron of River Falls, Miss Daisy Simonton, Miss Jennie Mae Ward, and Mrs. Eric Gellerstedt.

Miss Passmore—
Mrs. A. E. Pace has returned from Park Springs.

Miss Ford was called to leave yesterday to attend to the funeral of her aunt.

Miss Brackett of

Montgomery is visiting her aunt, Mrs. J. R. Keyton.

Mrs. Barron of River Falls, is visiting her sister, Mrs. R. H. Parker.

Mrs. S. E. Mary is spending a few days visiting in Dothan.

Miss Julia Park has come to Marion to teach in the high school.

Buren Law, who has been ill for three months of typhoid fever, but who is now convalescing, arrived here today, for a visit to Troy, Go-hen and Henderson. He has been ill at his home at Dothan. His friends will be glad to know that he is now rapidly improving.

—Troy Messenger.

Marriage of Miss McElvey—

Miss Blanche McElvey, of Pelham, Ga., and Mr. O. G. Swindle of Camilla, Ga., were married at Pelham last week and will reside in Camilla where Mr. Swindle holds a responsible position as deputy clerk of the circuit court.

Mrs. Swindle as Miss Blanche McElvey is pleasantly remembered in Dothan where she spent some time last year with her aunt, Mrs. C. L. Collins, while attending Campbell Institute.

Misses Bessie Roberson and Beth Bartlett enjoyed a splendid trip to Ozark yesterday.

Miss Patterson of Tallahassee, is visiting her brother, Mr. C. A. Patterson.

Mrs. W. H. King of Marianna, Fla., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Tennille.

BOARD OF THANKS.

We desire to sincerely thank each and every one who were so kind in rendering their help during the recent illness and death of our baby, and to assure them that we will always remember their kindness and hope that we may be able to show our appreciation in more material ways than the mere expression in words.

Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Thornton.

FAMILY AVOIDS SERIOUS SICKNESS

By Being Constantly Supplied With
Theford's Black-Draught.

McNitt, Va.—"I suffered for several years," says Mrs. J. B. Whitaker, of this place, "with sick headache, and stomach trouble."

Ten years ago a friend told me to try Theford's Black-Draught, which I did, and I found it to be the best family medicine for young and old.

I keep Black-Draught on hand all the time now, and when my children feel a little bad, they ask me for a dose, and it does them more good than any medicine they ever tried.

We never have a long spell of sickness in our family, since we commenced using Black-Draught.

Theford's Black-Draught is purely vegetable, and has been found to regulate weak stomachs, aid digestion, relieve indigestion, colic, wind, nausea, headache, sick stomach, and similar symptoms.

It has been in constant use for more than 30 years, and has benefited more than a million people.

Your druggist sells and recommends Black-Draught. Price only 25c. Get a package to-day.

SOAP IS BAD FOR THE HAIR

Soap should be used very sparingly, if at all, if you want to keep your hair looking its best. Most soaps and prepared shampoos contain too much alkali. This dries the scalp, makes the hair brittle, and ruins it.

The best thing for steady use is just ordinary unsifted coconut oil (which is pure and greaseless), is cheaper and better than soap or anything else you can use.

One or two teaspoonfuls will cleanse the hair and scalp thoroughly. Simply moisten the hair with water and rub it in. It makes an abundance of rich, creamy lather, which rinses out easily, removing every particle of dust, dirt, dandruff and excessive oil. The hair dries quickly and evenly, and it leaves the scalp soft, and the hair fine and silky, bright, lustrous, fluffy and easy to manage.

You can get unsifted coconut oil at any pharmacy, and a few ounces will supply every member of the family for months.

Miss Lucy Wood of Ozark, is the guest of Mrs. Jim Young.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children
In Use For Over 30 Years
Always bears
the
Signature of *Chas. H. Plummer*

Summary of War Status

New measures, the exact nature of which is not indicated, are to be employed by the Entente Allies in the future conduct of the war, according to reports in Rome, where it is said the next meeting of the Italian cabinet will deal with the subject.

There seems to have little recent activity in the Dardanelles, the Turkish official statement mentioning only artillery actions.

Reports from various quarters describe conditions in Constantinople as chaotic, with much suffering among the population, while other reports coming through Athens declare that the position of the Turkish forces on the Gallipoli peninsula is precarious.

Bulgarian reservists in Italy have been called to the colors, advises from Rome state.

England has again been visited by German Zeppelins, the latest raid over the east coast occurring last night. The raid was harmless to both life and property, according to the British official account.

A German attack north of the Souchez station was easily repulsed, today's French War Department statement says. Artillery activity, some of it of a violent nature, was in evidence in many sectors.

Austro-Hungarian sentiment regarding the request of the United States for the recall of Ambassador Dumba is divided, according to indication supplied by Vienna newspapers. One section apparently is convinced that the Ambassador acted without orders from his government, while the other upholds his course.

The British Parliament at its re-assembling tomorrow will take up the problem of increasing the national income. It is expected the scope of the income tax will be considerably increased.

O. M. Murphy of route seven, was in the city today on business.

ADVANCED CAUSE OF WOMAN

Ibsen Has Right to Be Classed as
Great Feminist Writer—Has Al-
ways Championed Cause.

One aspect of Ibsen's work deserves attention, especially as connected with modern movements in social and intellectual life. This is the extraordinary prominence which he has given to women in his dramas, and especially to women as representing the individualistic idea as against state action or collectivism. Ibsen undoubtedly thought, as most of his dramas prove, that all state action as such, whether exercised through a compact majority or through police or other agencies, is entirely harmful and crippling because it puts chains upon the individual.

As against society the individual is always right.

Now, who are the great individuals?

Women undoubtedly, who not only attack problems in their own fashion, but instinctively resist the pressure of laws imposed upon them, as it seems to their intelligence, in an entirely arbitrary manner.

Hence the importance of woman in Ibsen's plays, and hence, too, the idea, for which, indeed, there is a good deal to be said, that Ibsen was the great feminist writer, doing more for the cause of woman both as poet and artist than any thinker had done before him.

WANTED TO SEE THE END

Oscar Wilde's Irreverent Joke Concerning the Biblical Version of Voyage of the Apostle Paul.

"The death at Ypres of Capt. Cyril Holland reminds me of an Oscar Wilde story, for the brave and handsome young Captain Holland was Oscar Wilde's oldest son."

The speaker, a New York publisher, resumed, thoughtfully:

"Oscar Wilde in his youth was himself brave and handsome, and also very amusing. Once, when a student at the University of Oxford, he was ordered as a punishment for levity to sit down and copy out the twenty-seventh chapter of Acts.

"He copied away diligently for some time, and then his tutor said: 'You may stop now, Mr. Wilde?'

"But Wilde kept right on copying."

"Didn't you hear me say that you might stop?" the tutor asked a half hour later.

"Oh, yes, sir," Wilde answered, "I heard you; but I was so interested in what I was copying that I couldn't leave off. It's about a man named Paul, who went on a voyage and was caught in a storm. I'll just keep on, if you don't mind, sir, till I find out whether the poor fellow got drowned or not."

VALUABLE HELPMET.

"Do you admire the clinging vine type of woman, or the self-reliant kind?"

"That depends on the circumstances," answered Mr. Blobbins. "It is pleasant sometimes to play the role of protector to helpless femininity, but when I see the businesslike manner in which my wife takes off a punctured tire and puts on a new one, scornful all assistance from me, I realize that I couldn't get along without her."

THE ONE WHO GETS IT.

"You wouldn't pass a bad coin on a blind man, would you?"

"Certainly not. And I don't think I could ever be tempted to pass a bad coin on a blind man."

"Why not?"

"Because I've never seen a trolley car conductor who was blind."

EXPLAINED.

"Sims has a cryptic way of talking."

W. D. Burdeshaw, well to do farmer of route 4, was here yesterday.

No. Six-Sixty-Six

This is a prescription prepared especially for MALARIA or CHILLS or FEVER. Five or six doses will break any case, and it takes them as a tonic the fever will not return. It acts on the liver better than Colocid and does not grip or sicken. 25c.

INTO THE QUIET COUNTRY

Particularly Must the City-Bred Man Appreciate Value of Being Close to Nature.

When summer days grow long and summer suns oppressive it needs no effort of the imagination to conjure up delightful pictures of other scenes far removed from the dust and the heat and the clang. Perhaps you have stepped from the train on some dewy summer morning at a station that amounted to no more than a shack almost in the heart of the woods. And while the cars have lumbered on their way you have embarked in a boat that took you up some delightful river, deeper and deeper into the wilds. The closeness and the dirt and even the noise of the city have been lost in the strange quiet, broken only by the occasional flapping of wings, the dip of your paddle or maybe the odd laughing of a loon as your river widened into a little lake, a veritable jewel of the woods hidden away from profane eyes. It is a picture that never fades; it calls up other memories—the narrow trail through the big trees, the sun setting over the quiet waters, the cool forest night and the hush of little waves lapping the shore that only emphasized the deep, brooding quiet.

Lean back in your chair for a moment on a long, warm day. How it all comes back, the lure of the wind, not because it is wild, but because it is natural and serene and reassuring—the voice of the mighty silent places speaking peace to the soul.—Milwaukee Journal.

IMPERFECT EQUIPMENT



"Of course not. They hadn't invented cameras and press agents in those days."

WORTH REMEMBERING.

"Some of the grandest discoveries of the ages," said the great scientist, solemnly, "have been the result of accidents."

"I can readily believe that," said the fair lady. "I once made one that way myself."

The great man blinked his amazement.

"May I ask what it was?"

"Certainly," replied the fair one. "I found that by keeping a bottle of ink handy you can use a fountain pen just like any other pen—with-out all the trouble of filling it."

Christian Register.

KEEPING DOWN DISEASE.

In a little room at the Massachusetts statehouse, surrounded by countless millions of germs of all kinds, Miss Edith A. Becker, state bacteriologist, is playing an important part in the preventive measures in detecting and checking disease epidemics in the Bay state. She does not consider her work dangerous, although she makes many thousands of tests for the state authorities.

NOTHING BUT A NAME.

"Father," said the small boy "what is an ultimatum?"

"An ultimatum, my son, is a communication that is supposed to be the finish. But in reality its importance lies in the fact that it is liable to start something."

MAKE TEETHING EASY FOR BABY

USE
Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup
A SPLENDID REGULATOR
PURELY VEGETABLE—NOT NARCOTIC

BROUGHT THOUGHT OF HOME

Kansas Tells of His Feelings on Transport Left Manila for the United States.

Nobody in Kansas has forgotten Mack Cretcher, the inimitable paragon who used to preach Democracy through the Sedgwick Pantagraph, says the Kansas City Star. And it is considerable pleasure to note that Mr. Cretcher, now engaged in agricultural publicity work in Manila, hasn't forgotten Kansas, either, as is learned from a recent letter to the Newton Kansan: "I haven't been so very homesick, yet we are now going on our second year in the islands. However, one day not long ago I went down to the pier to see some friends off on the transport. It was the first time I had been down to see a boat sail for home since I arrived. The band played lively airs. Finally someone shouted, 'There she goes,' and the big transport began to glide away from the pier. There was much waving of hands and handkerchiefs and everything was going fine until the band started up on 'Should Auld Acquaintance Be Forgotten.' It brought back so many memories and, coupled with the sight of that big boatload pulling for the homeland—well, I wasn't homesick, but I had a sort of 'gone' feeling, and so did the other exiles who were left on the pier as the transport swung around and headed out into the bay."

BAN PUT ON GRASS WIDOWS

Official Announcement Made That They May Not Work in Government Departments.

Any married woman who has saved off diplomatic relations with friend husband and is making her own way in the world will have to get a divorce if she seeks a position in the post office department at Washington, D. C.

A divorced or widowed woman may work in the post office if she fills other necessary requirements. A married woman, even if she merely has a wild ambition to help her husband multiply the bank account, will have to use her talents elsewhere. Nothing doing for her, according to a decision of Uncle Samuel.

Announcement of a competitive examination for October 2 by the United States civil service officials disclosed the fact that a recent order of the post office department bars from those examinations women who may be separated from their husbands and who have to earn their own living.

Married women have been eliminated for a long time, but heretofore an exception has been made in the case of women who were married but not working at the matrimonial counter. The new order is strict. Any grass widow must first get a divorce if she wants to work in the post office.

PATRIOTIC BURGLAR IN PARIS.

A patriotic burglar in Paris, who broke into the house of a government official a few days ago, found that notwithstanding the recent request that citizens turn all their gold coins in to the public treasury, this official had \$100 in gold in his safe. The burglar took the money and left the following note addressed to his victim:

"Sir: I write you as an indignant patriot. How dare you keep 100 20-franc pieces in your possession when the country has need of all its gold? 'I have helped you to do your duty by taking the money myself to the Bank of France. Naturally, I have kept the notes given me in exchange as a reward for my trouble. Yours truly,'

"A PATRIOTIC BURGLAR."

HOPEFUL VIEW.

Hemmandhaw—Beanbrough is an optimist. Shimmerpate—What makes you think that?

"He said he would soon be done with walking, as he's bought two chances for an automobile raffle."—Youngstown Telegram.

36 inch Wool Dress Goods for 39c Yard. Cox's Department Store.

WANTS

WANT AD RATES
One insertion 1c a word
Three insertions 2 1/2c a word
Six insertions 4c a word
Twelve insertions 6c a word
One month 12c a word.

Miscellaneous

The Manhattan Life Insurance Company of New York wants a few select loans on real property in Dothan and Houston county. For particulars see R. D. Crawford or R. C. Williams. t11

For Rent

FOR RENT—12 room house corner S. Oates and Crawford street, suitable for boarding house or two families. Apply to Sol Lurie. t1

For Rent—Furnished boarding house on N. Foster street opposite Post Office. Now occupied by J. D. Harrison. Possession Sept. 1. W. M. Hunter. t1

For Rent—Dwelling at 309 S. Foster street. Apply to A. L. Wallace. t1

For Rent—5 room residence with water and lights. \$2 per week. J. A. Stephens. t1

For Rent—Good five room house and barn, quarter mile from Dothan. 30 to 35 acres open land, bargain if taken at once. Tutwiler & Powell. t15

For Sale

For Sale—Several floor show cases, cheap. Call Adams-Grant Clothing Co. t14

For Sale—86 acre farm, 60 in cultivation, in 6 miles of Hartford, good 5 room furnished house white painted, and 3 room tenant house, barns and barden, cow and calf, corn and peanuts for one mole farm. Big bargain if sold in 30 days. Mrs. Mittie Crawford, Hartford, route 2, box 52. t19p

For Sale—Scholarship in local business college. Apply to this office. t1

For Sale—Large farm containing twelve hundred acres. Five hundred acres cleared and well fenced. Hard road passes thru center. Will sell all or part at very low price. C. E. Merritt, Marianna, Ark. t25p

Wanted—To buy second hand Ford car in good condition, or will trade. H. Blumberg & Co. t1

For Exchange—40 acre farm at Grimes for residence property in Dothan. W. F. Preston, Midland City, Ala. t18p

LOST—Between Dothan and Cottonwood, bunch of keys with name C. C. Bush on ring. Return for reward to C. C. Bush, Dothan. t16

OVERHEARD AT THE ACADEMY.

Niece—This is "An Attack by Night," by Vandyke Madder.

Auntie—Really? And which Vandyke Madder?

HARD TIMES.

"Did Maud get that electric car about she asked her husband for?"

"No; she had to compromise on an electric trolley."

LIGHT AND SHADOW.
"Was there anything unusual about the contracting parties to the wedding?"

"No; just the usual bride and groom."—Puck.

EXPERIENCED.

Lady (engaging nurse)—Have you had any experience with children?

Applicant—Yes, mum. Several used to be a child myself.